GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3963
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PROJECTION OF FOREST RESERVES
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have formulated any scheme to protect the forest reserves in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of new projects proposed to be introduced in the country particularly in Rajasthan for the purpose during the Tenth Plan?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS (SHRI T.R. BAALU)
(a)to(c) Assistance is provided by the Central Government under various Centrally Sponsored Schemes for the protection of forest reserves in different States of the country including Rajasthan. The details are given in Annexure.
ANNEXURE
Annexure referred to in the reply to parts (a) to (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3963 regarding Projection of Forest Reserves by Dr. Jaswant Singh Yadav for answer by on 16.12.2002.

S.No.	Name of Scheme	Details
1.	Integrated Forest Protection Scheme	100% Central assistance to all the States/UTs of the country to be provided for non-recurring items of expenditure for prevention and control of forest fires. 100% Central assistance is also provided for strengthening of infrastructure for forest protection, preparation of working plans/survey and demarcation to the North Eastern States including Sikkim.
2.	Development of National Parks and Sanctuaries	100% Central assistance for the non-recurring items (in case of National Parks and Sanctuaries) and 50% for recurring items (in case of National Parks) of expenditure for development of National Parks and Sanctuaries.
3.	Project Tiger	100% Central assistance is provided for non-recurring items and 50% for recurring items of works for undertaking wild life management and protection measures in Tiger reserves.
4.	Project Elephant	100% Central assistance for conservation and protection of identified elephant reserves.
5.	Biosphere Reserves	100% Central assistance for in situ conservation of identified biosphere reserves of the country.
6.	Conservation and Management of Mangroves, Coral Reefs and Wetlands	100% Central assistance for conservation and management of identified mangroves, coral reefs and wetlands of the country.